IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re	Application of:)	⊋f
Joseph	1 H. Matthews, III et al.) Group Art Unit: Unassigned	8.
Serial No.: TBA) (Divisional of Serial No. 08/917,857)		Examiner: Unassigned)	
Filed:	Herewith)	
For:	USER FRIENDLY REMOTE SYSTEM INTERFACE WITH MENU HIGHLIGHTING (As Amended)) Atty. Dkt. No. 3797.84665)	

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please preliminarily amend the above-captioned application.

IN THE TITLE:

Please amend the title to read --User Friendly Remote System Interface With Menu Highlighting--.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-39 and 49-57 without prejudice or disclaimer.

REMARKS

Applicants request the Examiner consider the above claims prior to an examination on the merits of the present application.

Respectfully Submitted,

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